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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>	Attorney Docket No.	1614.1235	
	Application Number	10/098,518	
	Filing Date	March 18, 2002	
	First Named Inventor	Kouji YAMAMOTO	
	Group Art Unit	3621	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	2450.00	Examiner Name	Cristina O. Sherr

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	- 20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	14	- 4 =	10	X \$ 200.00 =	2000.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of March 1, 2005, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):					450.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 2450.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>					<b>\$ 2450.00</b>

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".  
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".  
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".  
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- ☐ Check enclosed as payment.  
☒ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.  
☐ No payment is enclosed.

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION**

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
- |                      |                    |
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| Deposit Account No.  | 19-3935            |
| Deposit Account Name | STAAS & HALSEY LLP |
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	H. J. Staas	Reg. No.	22,010
Signature		Date	May 17, 2005



Docket No.: 1614.1235

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kouji YAMAMOTO

Serial No. 10/098,518

Group Art Unit: 2171

Confirmation No. 6223

Filed: March 18, 2002

Examiner: Christina O. Sherr

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM OF ADMINISTERING USER RIGHTS OF A SOFTWARE  
PROGRAM THAT CAN BE INCREASED IN NUMBER IN AN EMERGENCY

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 17, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on March 17, 2005. A Petition and fee for a two-month extension of time is filed concurrently herewith, thereby extending the period for response to May 17, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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01 FC:1201 2000.00 DA

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02 FC:1252 450.00 DA